

Female dentists in Europe

Profiles

This edition marks the start of a new series of reports: We want to introduce female European dentists who “stand their ground” as they balance their work, their family and their pro-bono activities.



Name: **Dr Nathalie Khasin**
 Profession: **Dentist, implantologist**
 Office: **Berlin, Germany**
 Age: **41**
 Family: **Married, 3 children**
 Active: **Member of the BDIZ EDI board**

Dr Nathalie Khasin was born and raised in Munich. At the tender age of ten, during her weekly orthodontic visit, she decided to become a dentist because she found the work with the models and resin materials so exciting to look at. And as she grew up, she would do just that. *Dr Khasin* studied dentistry in Halle and Berlin and received her doctoral degree in Berlin in 2002, where she met her husband *Leo Khasin*, who is a dentist by training and today a well-known film director and winner of the German Film Award (“Lola”), the country’s most

prestigious film industry award. He comes from a family of dentists who emigrated to Germany from Russia in 1981.

Nathalie quickly became interested in dental surgery and completed a two-year Curriculum Implantology, which she today says was an important experience for her – not least because she very much enjoyed the exchange with colleagues in a period when she would divide her time between her family and her practice.

“There was never any break, the two of them had to function hand in hand”, she recalls. *Nathalie* is raising three children and managing her Berlin practice together with three employed dentists and the support of her husband and parents. In her free time she follows the call of the mountains – skiing in winter, hiking and travelling. “In winter I want to get out of the city and into the mountains!” **AWU** ■

Save the date: ADI Team Congress 2019

The partner association of BDIZ EDI in the UK, the Association of Dental Implantology (ADI), announces its biennial team congress which will take place in May 2019. Next year’s ADI team congress will be held in Edinburgh.

“Keep your staff up to date on all things dental implantology by attending the ADI Team Congress 2019!”, says the announcement. Taking place from 2 to 4 May 2019 at EICC Edinburgh, the ADI Team

Congress provides an excellent opportunity for all members of the team to discover new skills, hear the latest information in the field and gain valuable CPD.

Presenting a blend of inspiring lectures by renowned global speakers, the event will also provide great networking opportunities and allow participants to meet other professionals who have a passion for dental implantology.

For information on the ADI and upcoming events, visit www.adi.org.uk **EDI** ■

